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Real Property Notices of Valuation Change

The Nebraska Department of Revenue Property Assessment Division would like to remind property owners that **Real Property Notices of Valuation Change** will be sent by county assessors on or before June 1, 2009.

If there has been an increase or decrease in the assessed valuation of a parcel of real property from the 2008 assessed value, a written notice of valuation change is required to be sent to the property owner of record as of May 20, 2009.

If a property owner disagrees with the assessed value, a protest may be filed with the county board of equalization. The protest of valuation may be filed in person or by mail with the county clerk in the county where the property is located, on or before June 30, 2009. Requirements for filing a protest are on the Valuation Change Notice.

For additional information regarding filing a protest, please contact the county clerk in the county where the property is located. For Lancaster County, the county clerk will have an e-file protest filing option available around June 1, 2009. (See http://www.lincoln.ne.gov/cnty/clerk/prop.htm).

To assist you further, please see the information guide for "Real Property Valuation Protest", available on the Property Assessment Division's Web site at: http://pat.ne.gov/general/informationGuides/pdf/Real Property Valuation Protest Info Guide-2009.pdf

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/s Ruth A. Sorensen Property Tax Administrator